



Going for Gold

St Hardulph's Church of England Primary School

Friday 29th March 2019

Newsletter



HEADTEACHER'S AWARDS

Jack, Alex P., Harry R., William, Trixie, Polly, Danny, Willow, Daniel, Joshua, Jenson, Zev, Kolby, Max, Thomas L., Isabella, Megan J., Samuel M., Alexander R-S., Eagan, Mathilde, Jaidyn, Jeani-Ann, Jessica



Hot Chocolate Club

This week Mrs Ellis was joined by...

Class 1 - Louisa,

Class 2 - Alana,

Class 3 - Austin

Class 4 - Poppylea.

Attendance

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| Whole School | 94.4% |
| Class One | 97.3% |
| Class Two | 91.8% |
| Class Three | 95.8% |
| Class Four | 93.8% |

DIARY DATES

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| 05.04.19 | SILLY SOCK DAY - AUTISM EAST MIDS. |
| 08.04.19 | NO SWIMMING THIS WEEK |
| 12.04.19 1:30PM | EASTER SERVICE IN CHURCH |
| 12.04.19 | END OF SPRING TERM |
| 29.04.19 | START OF SUMMER TERM |
| 02.05.19 | POLLING DAY SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS |
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"To walk safely through the maze of human life, one needs the light of wisdom and the guidance of virtue "
- Gautama Buddha

We have had a great week with children producing some amazing writing and it has been a pleasure to have children come and share their work with me and talk about their learning. It is also no surprise to see so many children achieving Headteacher's awards this week as super learning and behaviour is being recognised and rewarded and the children are responding well to this.

This Sunday sees us celebrate Mothering Sunday which is actually a part of Lent. As you know, Lent is the build-up to Easter and Easter is a celebration of Christ's rebirth. What better a thing to celebrate during the fourth Sunday of Lent than mothers? The Sundays of Lent are all joyous occasions for Christians everywhere - here in the UK the fourth of these Sundays is known as Mothering Sunday. Mothering Sunday was originally all about returning to your home (or 'mother') church, and eventually it became a celebration of motherhood and all those who may not have given birth but who undertake the challenging but blessed 'mother' role. Lent, as mothers around the country are sure to remind you, is all about giving generously! I look forward to joining the Parish community at their Mothering Sunday Service in church on Sunday at 10:30am.

We are thrilled to have received two nominations for our parent governor vacancy and as such a ballot will be held. Ballot papers will be sent home on Monday next week.

Next week sees classes one, two and four take part in a taster PE session on Monday. We have a visit from our Education Welfare Officer who will be reviewing our attendance and looking to support families where children's attendance is lower than what is expected. We also have a visit from our Education Effectiveness partner from the Local Authority to explore teaching and learning and share some of the recent developments within school. Class 4 Parent's Evening will also take place on Wednesday.

As some of you may have noticed the gap in the railings from the carpark to the EYFS gate has been filled in, this has been done to improve safety on the school site. After several polite reminders that the school carpark is for staff and visitors only, with a handful of parents having a prior agreement with school to drop off and pick up in the carpark there are several parents day-in, day-out that are ignoring this and putting the safety of the children at risk for their own convenience. Should this continue, parents without prior agreement will be contacted and the situation reviewed before the Easter break as to whether the carpark gates are closed for periods of time at the start and end of day. Parents are reminded that they are welcome to park in The Three Horseshoes pub carpark and across the road by the post office. I thank you in advance for your cooperation in this matter.

Mrs Ellis

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS NEXT WEEK...

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| Monday | |
| Tuesday | LASER TAG 3:15-4:15 |
| Wednesday | CRAFT CLUB 3:15-4:15 |
| Thursday | SPORTS CLUB KS1 3:15-4:15 |
| Friday | |

Reminders:

Silly Sock Day—5th April

We are taking part in 'Silly Sock' day on Friday next week in aid of Autism East Midlands raising both awareness and money for a worthwhile charity that supports autistic individuals and promotes awareness of the condition. Therefore children are invited to come to school in their uniform as normal with the added extra of some 'Silly Socks' in return for a suggested donation of £1.

Easter Egg Hunt

As the field is currently out of bounds, the Easter Egg Hunt will be rescheduled for early next term.

Term-time absence

If your child will be absent from school during term-time (we are not able to approve absence for family holidays) please ensure that permission is sought from Mrs Ellis in advance. This includes absence for music or dance exams etc.

School Field

There will be no access to the school field whilst the mole problem is treated.

Children will receive regular reminders in school that the field is out of bounds, but please ensure that they also respect this before and after school.

Class 4 Parents' Meetings

These will be on 3rd April (12:30-18:00). Sign-up sheet is on the door, or please DoJo Miss Lynch for an appointment.

Local Links

PUBLIC NOTICE

Event Date: 31st March 2019

CYCLE RACING ON THIS ROAD

FROM 10.30 TO 14.00

**THIS RACE WILL USE
ACCREDITED MARSHALS***

Racing held under British Cycling Federation regulations and Road Traffic Act (Cycle Racing on Highways Regulations 1960 (amended 1980))



*An accredited marshal is a trained road cycling marshal who is legally empowered to stop and hold traffic during a race using a new 'Stop Cycle Race' sign approved by the Department for Transport. Using Section 36(1) of the Road Traffic Act 1988

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT THE EVENT ORGANISER:

Tel: 07777662934 Email: nickhorner@live.co.uk

THIS NOTICE WILL BE REMOVED FOLLOWING THE EVENT

Parish News



31st March: "Mothering Sunday Service" 10:30-11:30, we will also be welcoming and praying for Mrs Ellis and the school.

Refreshments will be served afterwards.

16th April: "Easter Crafts" 10am-11:30 This is an activity based time of craft, which will help us to hear the Easter story. Refreshments will also be served.

Disclaimer: We are proud to have a newsletter which shares information with you for our parish, village, WI and our local communities. We do try to vet all items which go into school bags and unless you are notified, are not paid to provide this information. We do not necessarily endorse and we cannot be held responsible for the validity or content of external information.

School information can be provided in different languages, large print, simple text only or Braille.
Please speak to Mrs. Ellis if you have a particular requirement.